

We claim:

1. Compositions comprising:

one or more saccharides in combination with one or more cationic polysaccharides in solution in an amount effective for solution preservation.
2. Compositions comprising:

one or more saccharides in combination with one or more cationic polysaccharides in an amount effective as a preserving agent.
3. The compositions of claim 1 or 2 wherein said one or more cationic polysaccharides are selected from the group consisting of variations of polyquaternium-10.
4. The compositions of claim 1 or 2 wherein said one or more cationic polysaccharides are selected from the group consisting of Polymer JR 125, Polymer JR 400, Polymer JR 30M, Polymer LR 400, Polymer LR 30 M and Polymer LK.

5. A method of producing compositions of claim 1 or 2 comprising:
combining one or more saccharides in combination with one or more cationic polysaccharides in an amount effective for solution preservation.
6. The method of claim 5 wherein said one or more cationic polysaccharides are selected from the group consisting of variations of polyquaternium-10.
7. The method of claim 5 wherein said one or more cationic polysaccharides are selected from the group consisting of Polymer JR 125, Polymer JR 400, Polymer JR 30M, Polymer LR 400, Polymer LR 30 M and Polymer LK.
8. A solution comprising one or more compositions of claim 1 or 2.
9. The solution of claim 8 wherein said solution includes one or more buffers or buffering systems.
10. The solution of claim 8 wherein said solution includes one or more tonicity agents.

11. The solution of claim 8 wherein said solution includes one or more surfactants.
12. The solution of claim 8 wherein said solution includes one or more viscosity agents.
13. A method of using the solution of claim 8 comprising:
contacting a surface of a contact lens with said solution for a period of time suitable to eliminate a microbial burden on said contact lens.
14. A method of using the solution of claim 8 comprising:
contacting a surface of a medical device with said solution for a period of time suitable to eliminate a microbial burden on said medical device.
15. A method of producing the solution of claim 8 comprising:
adding an effective amount of one or more cationic polysaccharides to a solution.
16. The compositions of claim 1 or 2 wherein said one or more saccharides are selected from the group consisting of monosaccharides, disaccharides, oligosaccharides and polysaccharides.

17. The compositions of claim 1 or 2 wherein said one or more saccharides are selected from the group consisting of D-glucose, methyl- α -D-glucopyranoside, mannitol, methyl- α -D-glucopyranose, turanose, galactose, trehalose and sucralose.
18. The method of claim 5 wherein said one or more saccharides are selected from the group consisting of monosaccharides, disaccharides, oligosaccharides and polysaccharides.
19. The method of claim 5 wherein said one or more saccharides are selected from the group consisting of D-glucose, methyl- α -D-glucopyranoside, mannitol, methyl- α -D-glucopyranose, turanose, galactose, trehalose and sucralose.